# ALMOST A CLEAN SWEEP

Only Four Democratic Representatives in Pennsylvania.

Possibility That Even Hall Has Been Defeated - Makes a Republican Gain of Four-Quay Now Certain of Re-election to the Senate-Trying to Harmonize the Factions.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Nov. 7 .- The Mc-Kinley tidal wave has swept the Democratic end of the Pennsylvania Congres sional delegation almost out of sight. Only four pulled through, and it is not a certainty that Hall, of Elk, has escaped the general crash. Those elected by the Democrats seems to be Polk, of Northumberland; Hall, of Elk; Green, of Berks, and Mutchler, of Northampton, This makes the delegation 26 Republicans and

4 Democrats, a Republican gain of 4. Matthew Stanley Quay leaves Washington tomorrow for his retreat at San Lucie, in Florida. He has come through another critical stage in his wonderful career as a public man triumphantly, and has no doubt of his re-election to the United States Senate. "If elected he will take his seat and

serve out his term," said one of his closs friends today, when it was suggested that P. A. B. Widener, of Philadelphia, or some other person agreeable to Colonel Quay and his friends, would be elected to

"Quay has made his fight," said the same gentleman, "and will not fail to show his gratitude to his loyal friends." Governor Stone spent last night in Washington at the home of Colonel Quay, and ington at the home of Colonel Quay, and they together received the news from Pennsylvania and the nation. The returns confirm the previous estimates of both men and Governor Stone said this evening that there was absolutely no doubt of the re-election of Colonel Quay. He said the actual Quay strength as shown by the re-turns and from private advices was in the actual Quay strength as shown by the re-turns and from private advices was in the neighborhood of 153 votes in the Senate and House. As it only requires 128 votes in the joint convention to elect a United States Senator the claims of the Quay leaders to a big victory are amply justi-

Considerable comment was caused here today by a despatch from Pittsburg in a Philadelphia newspaper stating that Sen-ator Flinn, the insurgent leader, had remarked in an interview that he has no actively interested himself in the cam-paign against Quay for reasons that were best known to himself. It is intimated here that things are not all harmonious at insurgent headquarters and that there have been some serious differences of opinion regarding the conduct of the campaign which has ended so disastrously for the

Governor Stone favors a kindly policy toward the erring brethren. He has con-tended not only in private talks, but also on the stump, that it is the right of any Republican to oppose a candidate at the primaries, but having received the nomi-nation in the regular way the candidate has the right to expect the support of his

# THE PLURALITY IN TEXAS.

Democratic by 175,000, With a Solid Delegation in Congress.

GALVESTON, Nov. 7 .- The Texas S'ats Democratic ticket, headed by Joseph D. Sayers, is re-elected by a majority of about 177,000, which was Sayers' pluralilight vote polled generally. The Legislature is almost solidly Democratic. It will elect Joseph W. Bailey as United States Senstor to succeed Horace Chilton, the result having been determined in the primaries.

A big crowd cheered the President. The President stood on the rear platform and bowed in response to the cheering. A stop of only a few minutes was made at the station.

It is estimated that the majority for the Democratic electors will not fall short of 175,000, and may go beyond that figure, though it will hardly reach 200,000. The Texas Congressional delegation stands: First district, Thomas H. Ball; Second, S. B. Cooper; Third, R. C. De-Graffenreid; Fourth, John L. Sheppard; Fifth, C. B. Randall; Sixth, R. E. Burke; Seventh, R. L. Henry; Eighth, S. W. T. Lanham; Ninth, A. S. Burleson; Tenth

George F. Burgess; Eleventh, Rudolph Kleberg; Twelfth, J. L. Slayden; Thir-teenth, J. H. Stephens. "All are Democrats, and all are re-elected with the exception of Randall, who succeeded Balley in the Fifth, and Bur-gess, who succeeds Hawley, Republican, in the Tenth district. The Texas Democracy is decidedly disgruntled over the defeat of Bryan, who is immensely popular

## MR. BABCOCK'S ESTIMATE.

Republican Chairman on the Major ity in Next House. CHICAGO Nov 7 -Chairman Bahenek

of the Republican Congressional Committee, said today:

"Our returns show that 194 Republican have been elected to the Fifty-seventh Congress, with twelve or fifteen doubtful districts yet to hear from. We shall undoubtedly have 200 and probably more members of the House. We have gained seven seats in New York and six in Pennsylvania and have carried Utah. There are still four close districts in Kentuck; to hear from, two in Massachusetts, on Managa, two in Nebraska, one in North Circlina, two in Virginia, one in Ohio

The West Virginia Legislature. Senator Elkins telegraphed his private pocretary yesterday that the West Virginia Legislature would be composed of thirty-five Republicans and twenty-five Democrats.

LONDON, Nov. 7 .- Str George Henry Bowyer bas secured a divorce from his wife Ethel, a daughter of Francis Hawkins, to whom he was married in 1899, and who is ed to have gone to San Francisc

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#### IN THE BADGER STATE.

McKinley's Plurality Probably No

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 7.-The plu ralities of the Republican ticket in this State will be approximately 105,000. will not vary 1,000 either way. Official returns are slow and the plurality is so great that interest is lost. The Democrats carry but four counties in the State. Four years ago they carried but three. Out of sixteen State Senators and 100 assemblymen the Democrats get but sixteen assemblymen. All the Republican Representatives are elected by pluralities ranging from 2,500 to 14,000. The Legislature on joint ballot will stand Republican 115. Democrats 18. The Demo crats have two of the seventeen holdover Senators. No United States Senator is to be elected.

#### UTAH PROBABLY REPUBLICAN. Menger Returns Leave the Legisla

ture in Doubt. SALT LAKE, Utah, Nov. 7.-Election returns from the outlying districts come in provokingly slow and accurate figures cannot at this time be given. There is no doubt, however, that McKinley has carried the State and that the entire Republican State and that the entire Republican State ticket is elected by majorities rang-ing from 3,000 to 4,000. The Legislature is probably Republican on joint ballot. Dem-ocrats will control the Senate by one or two votes, but the House will be Repub-

#### AN ERROR IN THE ACT

Wrong Section of the Constitution

Voted on in South Carolina. COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 7 .- There is anger in half a dozen of the larger towns in the State today, including Columbia and Charleston. The people yesterday voted on a constitutional amendment allowing the cities to increase their indebtedness so as to furnish themselves with sewer-age and water system. The amendment passed, but it turns out there was an error in the act and it has been voted to amend the wrong section of the constitu-tion. Cheap labor in the engrossing department is responsible.

#### RETURNS SLOW IN COMING IN. Wyoming Goes Republican by Majority of About 4.000.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Nov. 7 .- One hundred and fifty-one precincts out of 300 in Wyoming give McKinley a majority of 2,753 and Mondell, Republican, for Congress, 3,139. Many of the remaining precincts being remote from telegraph com-munication, all of the returns will not be in for several days, but these precincts are small and will not materially change

are small and will not materially change the result.

McKinley has probably carried the State by 4,000 majority and Mondell by 4,500.

The Legislature will probably stand on joint ballot: Republicans, 52; Democrats, 5. This means the return to the United States Senate of Francis E. Warren.

# THE PRESIDENT CHEERED.

Pittsburg Crowd Greets Him When

En Route to Washington. PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 7.-President McKinley and party passed through Pittsburg tonight on the way from Canton to Washington. Word had been received in Pittsburg that the President was coming, ty over Gibbs in 1898. Returns show a and a crowd of several thousand gathered near the Union Station to meet him,

## A REDUCED PLURALITY.

Bryan Carries North Carolina by

1895 in this State was reduced from 19,000 to less than 10,000. Two Republican Representatives are certain and two districts

#### CABLE SERVICE SUSPENDED. o Private Telegrams to the Trans.

vanl Received. NEW YORK, Nov. 7 .- The Commercial

Cable Company today made the following grams to the Transvaal and the Orange River Colony are for the present sus-

## BIG GAINS IN MINNESOTA.

The Republicans Carry the State for McKinley by 75,000.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 7.-Minnesota has had one of the hardest fights of any of the Western States, with the possible exception of Nebraska. With all the patronage of the State executive office arraved against it the Republican party has had a difficult problem, but it has over-come a vote of 25,000, re-elected seven Republican Representatives, and rolled up

# FOR BIBLICAL STUDY.

Haverford College Receives a Special Fund of \$63,000.

HAVERFORD, Pa., Nov. 7 .- Haverford College is in receipt of a fund of \$63,000 for the purpose of biblical and religious instruction. The Bible has always been taught in the college since its foundation, in 1833, and it is to expand and systema dize this work that the fund is created. The courses will be open to all students, with the object of giving a larger general knowledge of the Bible and related sub-

The new arrangement will not start until the fall of 1901, and will then embrace the following: "The English Bible and Hebrew," by Prof. William C. Ladd; "New Testament Greek," by Prof. Soth K. Gifford, The Literary Study of the English Bible," by Prof. Prancis B. Gummere; "illistory of the Development of Christian Thought," "The Interpretation of the New Testament," and "History of Philosophy by Prof. Rufus M. Jones, and "Ethics," by Prof. Rufus M. Jones, and "Ethics," by Prof. Rufus M. Jones, and "Ethics," by President issue Sharnless. The new arrangement will not start un-President Issac Sharpless,

Great Speed of the Stockton. NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 7 .- The Richmondbuilt tornedo boat Stockton returned here

last night after her builders' trial trip in Chesapeake Bay. She exceeded, Superin tendent of the Trigg Works Nelson said her contract speed of twenty-six knots by two one-hundredths of a knot. This high speed she sustained for one hour. Idweather prevailed and the boat behaved beautifully. Her builders will ask that her official trial and survey may be convened. The Stockton will proceed to Richmond to there to await the convenience of the trial board.

Kruger Desires Rest. LONDON, Nov. 8 .- A dispatch to the 'Standard" from Brussels says that the Transvaal agency has received a long cablegram from ex-President Kruger in which he intimates his desire for a pro-longed rest after his arrival at Marseilles. He refuses all official receptions in Europe.

Florida Democratic by 22,000. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Nov. 7 .- Bryan's plurality in Florida is estimated at 22,000.

# PREPARING THE DEMANDS

The Ministers Nearly Ready for the Peace Negotiations.

Expectation That the Envoys Will in a Short Time-All to Insist on the Punishment of Boxer Leaders-The Paoting-Fu Expedition.

PEKIN, Nov. 6-(Via Taku and Shanghai, Nov. 7) .- The Ministers held another meeting, at which considerable progress was made. It is believed they will soon be ready to meet the Chinese plenipotentiarjes. If they follow the usual course they will appoint a committee to prepare the demands for the powers and their work will then be submitted for approval, It is likely that this will cause some delay, owing to the time occupied in telegraphing to the several Governments.

mands all the Ministers unite.

The Chinese realize that it is necessary for the Government to punish those re-sponsible for the outbreak. Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching have again tele-said that a reconciliation was impossible. mand is impossible. The petition ad-dressed to Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching by the officials of the towns be-tween Paoting-fu and Pekin complained, in addition to the protests against the action of the troops taking part in the Paoting-fu expedition, that the native Christians were arming and making raids, It is claimed they are stealing cattle and outraging women and girls.

It is the custom of the Chinese in ad-

dressing official communications to the Ministers to put the name of the diplomat addressed at the top of the column. In this case this was not done and it is held that the failure to do so was intentional on the Ministers and other Christians during the siege the note is regarded as im-pertinent. In this some of the Chinese authorities agree, and it is therefore unlikely that any united action will be taken on the protest. The note is held to be particularly impertinent to the Govern ments which took no part in the expedi

tion.
The representatives of England, France Italy, and Germany have returned the communication, refusing to receive it, and the representatives of the other powers will probably not answer it but will treat it with contempt. Nevertheless, the truth of the statements contained in the peti-

tions is not questioned. Richardson's column, which took part in the Pacting-fu expedition, has returned to Pekin. They report that on October 2 Major Waldron, of the Lancers, arrived at Tuigmaching, where the Boxers had destroyed the Catholic chapel. The col-umn captured ten Boxers. Upon trial three of them were convicted and shot. The others were released with a warning. All the houses owned by the known Box-ers were destroyed. The column encoun-

tered a body of imperial troops under command of General Fan.

During a conference General Fan was shot and killed by a trumpeter belonging to the Sixteenth Lancers. The shooting was inexcusable and the trumpeter was niaced under arrest. The solvium on Ocplaced under arrest. The column, on Oc-tober 31. reached Yangtsang, where Messrs. Norman and Robinson, English missionaries were killed at the beginning of the trouble. It was learned that the missionaries' houses and chapel were burned on June 3. The missionaries fled for protection to the magistrates' yamen, On the following day the Boxers threatened the yamen, and the missionaries flet Less Than 10,000.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Nov. 7.—Late reshiping their gods. They were pursued, turns indicate that the Bryan majority in and Robinson, who was caught inside the and Robinson, who was caught inside the city, was hacked to pieces. Mr. Norman escaped through the north gate, but was subsequently captured in the fields. He control and jurisdiction of the Court of Equity that appointed the receivers. The was bound by the Boxers and taken to ware burned out. In this condition he was dragged across the country to Fawangchung, where he was again subject to the jurisdiction and direction of ject to the j speared and decapitated.

As punishment for the murder of the missionaries the column demanded the payment of 40 600 taels and a lot of mules. The Chinese officials paid 4 000 taels and gave security that they would meet the demand in full. On October 4 three Boxer villages near

Langlung, where many of the opponents of Admiral Seymour's expedition lived, were destroyed and two temples were General Chaffee has established a new

postal route to the coast. It now re-quires only two days for letters to reach General Wilson sailed from Taku on Monday. He is due to arrive in San Francisco on December 7. A correspondent learns from Chinese sources that Li

Hung Chang asked the Washington Go ernment to make General Wilson a peace commissioner because of his wide knowledge of Chinese affairs.

A rumor of the death of the Downger Empress caused much excitement here, but it has not been sonfirmed and is not

The Chinese officials say they have not heard anything official on the subject.

#### ENGLISH FLAG HAULED DOWN. lash Between Russlans and Britisl

Narrowly Averted. LONDON, Nov. 8 .- The Shanghai correspondent of the "Standard" says the naval storeship Humber reports an outrage on the British flag at Chin Wangtao, an important town on the coast northeast of Russian officer, commanding sixty mer

The Step Regarded as Preliminary

to Opening Negotiations. PARIS, Nov. 7 .- The French Consul anghai telegraphs that he hears the court is to remove to Chentu, in Szechuan. a Mohammedan uprising is feared in Shensi. The Viceroy of Szechuan has hith-erto been friendly to foreigners, and it is believed this move is a step toward re-

Tranquillity on the Isthmus COLON, Colombia, Nov. 7.-Col. William hunk, chief engineer of the Quito -Railroad, will sail for New York today on the steamer City of San Antonio. The isthmus

Will streng- Hostetter's stomach and thus Stomach constipation and

#### THE FILIPINO JUNTA.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7 .- A Washington despatch to the "Evening Post" says: the suppression of the Filipino Junta at Hongkong. It will address a note to the British Government calling its attention Meet the Chinese Plenipotentiaries to the junta as a breeding-ground of Filipino rebellion against the United States, and clearly outside of the pale of international propriety, and will call for its suppression as a matter of comity if not suppression as a matter of comity if no of right.
"Whether the admission will be made

that there is a state of war in the archi-pelago for the sake of basing a demand on the ground of violated neutrality, cannot be ascertained at this time

#### DESPERATE HUSBAND'S ACT. Kills His Wife and Then Attempts to

Commit Suicide. NEW YORK, Nov. 7 .- Joseph E. Freitag, forty-nine years old, piano polisher, of 217 Frost Street, Williamsburg, today went to the home of his wife, Elizabeth, at 460 It is certain that the Ministers' note will Humboldt Street, and after killing her ontain the names of the officials respon- with a revolver shot himself twice in the sible for the trouble, including the head. On account of her husband's dissi-

Frequently she learned from friends that graphed to the throne declaring that the powers will insist upon the infliction of punishment, and that escape from the demand is impossible. The petition ad-It is believed that he went there to effect a reconciliation. Neighbors heard loud talking and then shots.

Mrs. Freitag was found lying dead on the floor. She had been shot in the left ear. Freitag lay across his wife. He had shot himself over the sheet should be formed by the shot should be found to be shown to

imself over the right eye and in the forehead on the right side. Freitag was taken to the hospital. His wounds were pro-nounced mortal, but later he seemed to grow strong and tonight the doctors have

## THE COURT OF APPEALS.

Opinion in the Damage Suit of Ade laide M. Merriman.

Court of Appeals of the District resterday, in disposing of the suit of Adelaide M. Merriman, administratrix of the estate of John A. Merriman, deceased. against John K. Cowen and Oscar G. Muray, receivers of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, defined the liabilities of receivers even after their terms of office have expired. Mrs. Merriman fled suit against the receivers of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to recover \$10,000 claimed as damages on account of the death of her husband, who was killed on the night of December 3, 1896, at the railroad crossing at Florida Avenue. When the case came on for trial the defendants contended that they were not liable because their terms of receivership had expired. The plaintiff of receivership had expired. The plaintiff was represented by Henry E. Davis and C. C. Tucker, and the jury which heard the testimony awarded Mrs. Merriman \$8,500 damages. Mr. Justice Morris, who 38,500 damages. Mr. Justice Morris, who announced the opinion of the court, said:

"It is contended by the defendants that the order of the Court of Equity of June 30, 1899, withdrew the property of the railroad company from their possession and control, and had the effect of discusarging the receivers from any further liability for the claim sued for in this about and that the only recourse of the action, and that the only recourse of the plaintiff is by application to the Court of Equity having control of the cause in which the receivers were appointed for an adjudication of the claim. We do rot, however, entertain this view of the case. The court below had acquired complete jurisdiction of the subject matter of the suit before the order of June 30, 1839.

"The action was authorized to be brought without the authority of the court appointing the receiver, and the fair and reasonable interpretation of the act of Congress is that the remedy against the receivers was not only to be protected but promoted and made effectual by that was bound by the Boxers and taken to Wuchianking. His captors demanded and judgment is not recorded against the received what silver he had. His eyes the burned out. In this condition he were burned out. In this condition he

the court that appointed them. "There was irregularity in entering the judgment, but that was in mere matter of form, the judgment instead of being entered against the receivers personally as appears to have been done, should have been entered against them in their official

capacity. In the case of Joseph E. Sardo against Walter M. Moreland and Frederick L. Greenwald, the judgment of the 'ower court was affirmed. This was a suit for damages, brought by Sardo to recover \$15,000 from the defendants for alleged personal injuries. Messrs, Moreland and Greenwald conduct a game and poultry business in the Centre Market and the plaintiff, Sardo, while engaged in hoisting a dead deer, was injured by the carcass falling upon him. When the case came up in the circuit branch of the Supreme Court of the District, after hearing Sardo's tes-timony, the presiding justice ordered a verdict for the defendant. From this

Judgment Sardo appealed.

In the case of William B. Gurley and Richard A. Johnson, appellants, against William F. MacLennan, the judgment of the lower court was reversed and the

# TRAIN HITS A TROLLEY CAR.

Passengers Escape Injury.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7 .- Rushing along at great speed, an express train of the New York, Susquehanna and Western Railroad struck a disabled trolley car at the cross ing at Homestead, N. J., Monday night, and although the rear platform of the trolley Sikhs are stationed. It is stated that a car was demolished, the train went on it way as if nothing had happened. Fortu nately, the few passengers on the trolley car were at the forward end, and, beyond a severe shaking up, they escaped injury.

The car, which is No. 54 of the Jersey
City, Paterson and Rutherford Railroad Company, had been thrown from the rails by several stones which were placed at the crossing. It had almost cleared the tracks of the steam railroad, and the motormay and conductor were trying to replace it, when the express came along. The engine driver did not see the disabled vehicle as its lights were not burning, and the train crashed into the rear platform. At the same crossing there was a somewhat similar accident about two years ago,

Newport News' Increasing Exports. NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Nov. 7 .- The ex ports from Newport News for the month of October will probably exceed \$3,000,600 in value. The Curtom House officials have not received all of the manifests, but they es timate that the total value 087,814, which is re-month of October. the total for September, which was \$2 312.401. The increase, then, is \$795.413 The total for October, 1899, was \$2,304.

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# GREAT LIBERAL VICTORY

The Result of Canadian Parliamentary Elections.

conservative Minorities Still Further Reduced in Nova Scotin and Cape Breton-Sir Charles Tupper's Political Career Ends in Defeat-Returns From New Brunswick

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 7 .- Before the issolution of Parliament political parties in Nova Scotia stood twelve Liberals to eight Conservatives. The Conservatives had strong hopes of reversing this in the general election which took place today, but they are disappointed, for at 9 o'clock tonight it looks as if the Conservatives had lost ground and that the parties now stand fifteen Liberals to five Conserva-

The Conservatives have lost Cape Breton County and Richmond County, Annapolis County, and one seat in Pictou. The Conservatives have captured Hants and Colchester Counties.

punishment and further demands for edequate atonement and the erection of a monument to Baron von Ketteler, the murdered German Minister. In these demands all the Ministers units Bartsch, went to live in the Humboldt in public life for forty years and has Street house. stituency he contested. He is now in the eightieth year of his age, and as leader of the Conservative opposition in what was certain to be his last fight he is defeated by over 300 majority and by a man of very little ability and no personal

His son, Sir Herbert Tupper, Minister of Marine, is elected in Pictou County, but his colleague in the same county is defeated. Hon. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance, is elected in Colburne and Queers, a double county, by over 300 ma-jority. There are five counties in the island of Cape Breton in which the Con-servatives formerly held three seats. Tonight the island is solid Liberal. Hon. F. W. Borden, Minister of Militia, is re-

elected in Kings County.

The Province of Prince Edward Island has a representation of five members. In the last house it was two to three in favor of the Liberals. The returns tonight from four counties show the election of three Conservatives and one Liberal, Sir Louis Davies, Minister of Marine and Fisheries. In New Brunswick at 10 o'clock returns had been received from eleven counties, showing the election of seven Liberals and three Conservatives. The Three more

#### ORDERS FOR PUBLIC WORK.

The Commissioners Authorize Resetting of Curb and New Sidewalk. The Commissioners vesterday issued orders that the following work be done under the provisions of the assessment sys tem, the same having been duly adver tised:

To set new granite curb as follows: On both sides of A Street northeast from Fourth Street to Seventh Street, at an estimated cost of \$2,300, to be assessed

against lots in squares 37 and 51, fronting on said Twenty-third Street between the limits named.

On both sides of P Street northwest, from Seventeenth Street to Eighteenth in the early spring. against lots in squares 37 and 51, front-Street, at an estimated cost of \$1,700, to

limits named. On south side of G Street northeast, from Fourteenth Street to Florence Street, at an estimated cost of \$197, to be assessed against lots in square 1051, front-ing on said G Street between the limits

1, 3, 4, and 8, Commissioners' sub-division of Washington Heights, and block 12, Meridian Hill, fronting on said California Avenue between the limits named. On both sides of Vernon Avenue north

west, from Nineteenth Street to Avenue, at an estimated cost of \$1,350, to be assessed against lots in blocks 1, 2, and Commissioners' sub-division of Wash-ington Heights, fronting on said Vernon Avenue between the limits named. To reset curb and lay cement sidewalk: On both sides of R Street northwest, from Thirty-third Street to Thirty-fourth

Street, at an estimated cost of \$512, to be assessed against lots in squares 1218 and 1273, fronting on said R Street be ween the limits named To pave with vitrified brick or asphalt block all alleys in square 677, at an esti-

mated cost of \$10,000.

That Joliet Street, between Connecticut Avenue and the Zoological Park, be macadamized at an estimated cost of \$1,000, chargeable to the current appropriation for repairs to roads. That Whitney Avenue, between Seventh Street extended and the Soldiers' Home,

be macadamized at an estimated cost of \$3,850, chargeable to the current appropriation for repairs to roads. That the proposal of Lyons Brothers received November 3, to construct rubble masonry wall along the east bank of Rock Creek north of the Woodley Lane Bridge

for the price of \$5,24 per cubic yard, is hereby accepted. That street hydrant be erected at the orthwest corner of Sixteenth and D

Streets northwest, at an estimated cost of That 600 feet of 6-inch water main be laid and one fire hydrant erected in Eric Street, between Champlain Avenue and Ontario Street, and south on Ontario Street from Eric Street to the south line

of lot 14, block 10, Meridian Hill, at an

#### PAYING ELECTION BETS. Quadrennial Procession of Wheel

barrows on the Avenue. The hat stores and cigar stores were invaded yesterday for the payment of small electon bets, while many large cash wagers were settled at the brokers' offices. The quadrenniai procession wheelbarrows, propelled by losers wagers, made its appearance on Fennsylvania Avenue last night. Quite a number made their way from the Capitol to the Treasury Building, the favorite route, and repeating the journey until the forfeit named in the original terms of the wager was satisfied.

Among those seen last night was one in which the triumphant and smiling sup-porter of the winning ticket was scated in state wearing a silk hat, probably another election profit, in a wheelbarrow which was urged on its course by a 1 am clad as a clown. Another vehicle of similar character, propelled by a stout man, bore the legend, "Bryan's Automobile illumined by ve the Donkey

#### Her Wedding Dress a Shroud. BRIDGETON, N. J., Nov. 7.-Mrs. Agnes

he dress she had made to attend the wedling of her daughter, which was to have taken place the latter part of this month. Mrs. Lummis was the wife of Hepry Lum nis, a wealthy fruit dealer. She die1 suddenly.

When you cannot sleep for coughing, it is hardly necessary that any one should tell you that you need a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to allay the irritation of the "HECHTS' GREATER STOKES," 513-515 Seventh Street.

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the 50c quality, and go as a special 490 pair for heavy 10-quarter double blankets in white and grey; with elegant borders; the kind which sell for 75c pair.

98C pair for extra heavy 11-quarter silver grey blankets; full double-bed size; the kind sold usually at \$1.50.

4 bedwear bargains. 980 for extra heavy Sateen covered comforts; in pretty patterns; sell usually for \$1.49.

Silk velvets, 69c.

Silk velvets are more fashionable this

season than ever. And yet we put be-

fore you today black and colored

silk velvets, in a perfect assortment of

shades, which you cannot duplicate

elsewhere under \$1 for 69c a vard.

These are the handsome, closely-woven

pile sort, and an immense bargain at

Shaker flannel, 45c.

flannel; the quality which sells for

61-2c yard; will be put on sale today

and sold at 47-8c yard as a special

for Bargain Thursday.

86 pieces of soft, fleecy white Shaker

690 for extra heavy full double-bed size white spreads in handsome patterns which sell usually at \$1.

# Fifth floor specials.

29C today for heavy 4-4 tapestry table covers; in all new leading colors; worth 49c.

690 pair to day for 150 pairs of white Nottingham lace curtains; full width and length; worth \$1 pair.

## Women's \$20 and \$25 suits, \$12.50

-cheviot serges, homespuns, Venetians, camel's hairs, hairline stripes, with all styles silklined jackets, including the fashionable blouse jackets-full width skirts-with new inverted pleat backs, embracing the stocks of two New York suit makers, which were closed out to us last week under price.

# Women's \$7 and \$8 silk waists, \$3.98

-handsome taffetas, in black and every stylish shade-Givernaud's best taffetas, in tucked, corded, and hemstitched effects -all lined throughout, and not a one worth less than \$7. Choice

\$3.98.

#### NEWS FROM ALEXANDRIA.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Nov. 7.-Plans, it is nderstood, have been prepared by J. W. Hammond, owner of the wharf at the foot an estimated cost of \$2,300, to be assessed against lots in square \$39, \$40, \$67, \$68, \$815, and \$16, fronting on said A Street between the limits named.

On both sides of Twenty-third Street northwest, from L Street to M Street, at an estimated cost of \$550, to be assessed against lots in squares 37 and 51, front-same time. This will size it adventure.

Street, at an estimated cost of \$1,700, to be assessed against lots in squares 156 and 157, fronting on said P Street between the limits named.

Dr. John H. Eager, of Baltimore, for many years a missionary in Italy, will tomorrow night deliver a sermon in the First Baptist Church, before the Woman's Missionary Society of that church. All are cordially invited to attend.

The Democrats of Alexandria are proud of the majority they rolled up for Bryan yesterday. The majority given Bryan near-ly doubled that given him in this city four years age.

ing on said G Street between the many named.

On both sides of California Avenue northwest, from Nineteenth Street to Florida Avenue, at an estimated cost of the florida Avenue, at an estimated cost of ney's Hall on the 16th inst. The dance is to be given in honor of the football team to be given in honor of the football team. the University of Virginia, which on that day will play a game in Washingt Mrs. Mary J. Sheldon died on Saturd last at her home in Fairfax County, near Mount Vernon. The deceased was fiftynine years of age, and is survived by six sons and two daughters. She had resided in that county for the past thirteen years, but was a native of Orange County, N. Y. Saturday next will be athletic day at the Episcopal High School, just west of this city. On that day the school's foot-

this city. On that day the school's foot-ball team will meet the eleven of the Western Maryland College. A large crowd, it is expected, will be present. The city fire wardens today purchased two fine draft horses for the Columbia Engine from H. W. Herring, of Noakes-ville, for \$400. They are handsome bays. Policeman John T. Roberts today ar-rested large. rested James Minor, colored, on suspicion that he stole a set of harness. Minor will be given a hearing tomorrow morning. Susic Lee has sold to Harriet Gilbert a lot on the south side of Oronoco Street between Henry and Fayette, for \$150. Dr. W. S. Purvis, Eugene B. Taylor, and W. Moore were today appointed

#### spectors of the city jail by Judge J. K. M. ART TREASURES UNEARTHED

Splendid Specimen of Roman Archi tecture Found Near Pompeil. (From the Boston Transcript. )

NAPLES, Oct. 27 .- In an estate belonging to the family Deprisco of Naples, in the commune of Boscoreale, where was formerly found this famous treasure which was sold to the house of Rothschild another remarkable archaeological dis-covery has been made, which has excited unusual attention. Fresh excavation on the eastern slopes of Vesuvius have brought to light a vast edifice, twentyfour rooms of which have already bee disinterred. The walls are covered with frescoes of a period anterior to Pompeii, and of marvelous beauty and perfect preservation. The director of the Mu is said that the Kaiser has offered over

Firebugs in Pennsylvania. HANOVER, Pa., Nov. 7 .- The incendiaries who have been terrorizing Hanover for weeks past, and caused losses aggre into the suburbs of this place. Monday night the largest barn in the county, owned by Vincent Theobald, whose magnificent hotel in this place was also de to the ground, entailing a loss of \$10,000, All the season's crops, twelve head of cat-tle and the farming implements were consumed. The firebugs chose a favorable time for their work, for last night a high wind was blowing and sparks were carried as far as McSherrystown, where several barns caught fire, causing the greatloss is partly covered by insurance.

President Has 19 Stenographers. In Grover Cleveland's time there was but one typewriter and one stenographer in the Executive Mansion, and this one stenographer did all the corresponding except what President Cleveland did with his own pen. Under President McKinley there are 19 stenagraphers and 19 typewriting machines. Mr. McKinley made it a rule to answer in a courteons manner every proper letter which came to him from an American citizen. He argued that it was no more than proper to acknowledge every communication of a respectful character, and while this new system involved much labor, it is an investment which repays amply and gives Mr. McKinley much personal popularity. It is the courteous letters of Mr. McKinley which cause his great popularity, and it is the pure and whole some qualities of Macraen, Senae, and Lager which make Heurich's so popular. Phone six-thirty-four, Arlington Bottling Co., for a case and taste of that which you will actually enjoy.

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SPECIAL NOTICES. OFFICE OF THE MUTUAL FIRP INSUR-OFFICE OF THE MUTUAL FIRP INSUR-ANCE COMPANY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, Washington, November 8, 1900.—Policy holders are notified that the managers have ordered a return of sav-ings paid the members in proportion to the value of each policy at the close of the value of each policy at the close of 1899. Renewals for 1901 must be paid the company at the same time at the rate of 1 per cent on the premium notes, and POLICIES MUST BE PRESENTED that payments may be entered thereon. Policies expire on the last Monday in December (31st). Please attend early and avoid the crowd. W. A. H. CHURCH, President. L. PIERCE BOTELER, Secretary.

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FLETCHER—On Wednesday, November 7, 1990, at 12:30 p. m., ALICE M., beloved wife of Edward D. Fletcher.

Funeral from her late residence, 1995 Seventh Street southeast, Friday, November 9, at 2 p. m., thence to Peck Memorial Chapel, Twenty-eighth and M Streeta. Interment at Oak Hill Cemeters.

wH.SON-On Tuesday evening, November 4, 1990, at 9:29 o'clock, JOSEPH SHIELDS WIL-SON, in the twenty-fourth year of his age, son of Edward Hartley and Imogene Mosher Wilson. Notice of funeral hereafter. 1t,em UNDERTAKERS. J. WILLIAM LEE.

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LMAN LAUNDRY.

Monument Is to Be Erected Over Her Grave. (From the Manchester Guardian.) A movement is on foot to erect a tombstone over the grave of Annie Laurie. Many people are under the delusion that Annie Laurie was merely a figment of the poet's brain, but this was not so. She was the

daughter of Sir Robert Laurie, and was born in Maxwelton House, which stands on the "braes" immortalized in the song. Her birth is thus set down in the Barjorg MS: "At the pleasure of the Almighty God, my daughter, Annie Laurie, was horn 18th day of December, 1682 years, o'clock in the morning, and was baptized by Mr. George, minister, of Glencairn." drawing-room there still hangs ber por trait. Her lover and the author of the original song was young Douglas of Fing-land, but in the sequel she gave her hand to a prosaic country laird, her cousin, Alex-

ander Ferguson. They lived at Craigdarroch House, five miles from Maxwelton, and when she died Annie was buried in the beautiful gien of the Cairn. MADE YOUNG AGAIN.

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